

The Experience of the Town of Mali Lošinj with the European Tourism Indicator System – ETIS Dalibor Cvitković, Tourist Board of the Town of Mali Lošinj

Lošinj in numbers

- Preserved environment on 5 islands of the archipelago
- 8,116 residents
- Capacity 22,100 beds
- Hotels account for 13.8% of the total capacity
- 2,000 beds rated 4*
- 600 beds rated 5*
- Camps 42.4%, private accommodation 29%, other accommodation 14.8%
- 2.3 million overnight stays and 308,000 guests per year
- Connections: boat, catamaran, ferry lines, small airport
- The Town of Mali Lošinj chief partner of the Tourist Board
- Public private partnership and cooperation
- Sustainable and responsible tourism
- Quality in all tourism segments







Projects under the Sustainable Tourism Development Program for the Town of Mali Lošinj

- The Town of Mali Lošinj and the Tourist Board of the Town of Mali Lošinj have entrusted the Institute for Tourism to prepare and draft the Sustainable Tourism Development Program for the Town of Mali Lošinj.
- The Program includes specific goals of all projects planned for implementation in order to achieve destination management geared towards sustainable development.
- The Program and the goals of its projects are set to be implemented by 2020.
- Projects to protect natural resources: Protection of landscape and biodiversity
- Projects to protect socio-cultural resources: Protection of cultural identity
- Projects of economic sustainability: Integration of the local economy and tourism







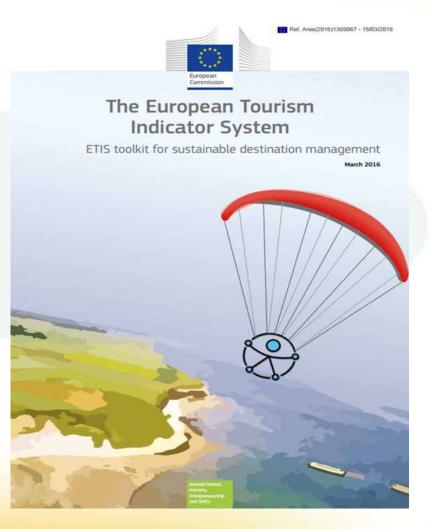
Why ETIS?

- Monitoring, managing, and enhancing the sustainability of a tourism destination
- Tracking destination performance
- Improved information for decision making
- Effective risk management
- Prioritisation of actions
- Performance benchmarking
- Improved community participation
- Support for tourism stakeholders
- Enhanced user experience
- Increased bottom-line / cost savings
- Increased value per visitor



The European Tourism Indicator System for Sustainable Destinations

- Mali Lošinj is one of the first destinations in Croatia that successfully participated in the European Commission's pilot project (2013) entitled European Tourism Indicator System for Sustainable Destinations ETIS.
- In addition to the core indicators, Lošinj also decided to measure supplementary indicators, thus measuring everything that can be measured in a destination, and has included them in the founding document.
- After its adoption by the Town's Council of the Town of Mali Lošinj, ETIS became the founding document with mandatory measuring and comparison of indicators with previous years.
- Toolkit 2016 after the pilot phase and the project review by the EC, a new toolkit was prepared with 43 core indicators in 4 categories: destination management, economic value, social and cultural impact, and environmental impact.
- Today we have the measuring results for 4 consecutive years (2014 2017)
- **TOMAS SUMMER 2017** In addition to the regular 100 respondents, the Tourist Board of the Town of Mali Lošinj commissioned an additional increase in sample size (404 in total) in order to achieve improved data quality and credibility.



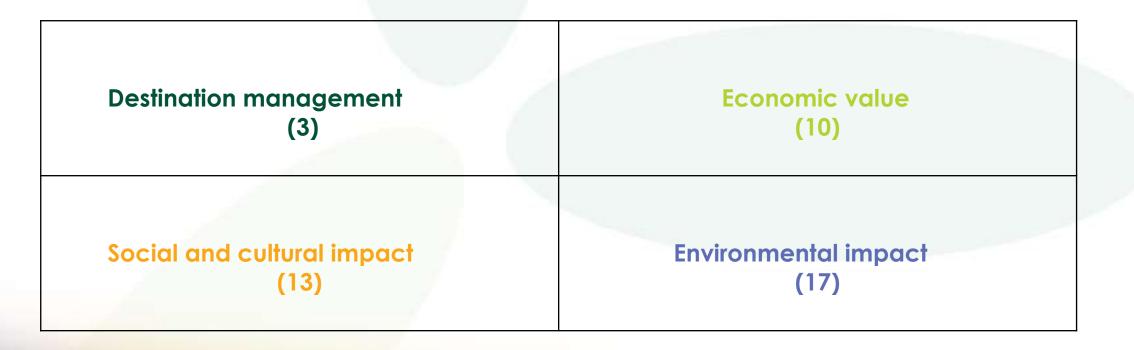
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Measuring and monitoring sustainable tourism development at the local level

• 43 core indicators







• Destination management

A.1 Sustainable tourism public policy	A1.1 Percentage of tourism enterprises/establishments in the destination using a voluntary certification/labelling for environmental /quality/sustainability and/or Corporate Social Responsibility
A.2 Customer satisfaction	A2.1 Percentage of tourists and same-day visitors that are satisfied with their overall experience in the destination
	A2.2 Percentage of repeat/return visitors (within 5 years)





Destination management

Indicator	Destination performance 2017	Destination performance 2016	Destination performance 2015	Destination performance 2014	IND 2017/2016	Data source - full document name and name of the person who submitted the data	Data collection period	Subject results	Responsible institution	Data delivered or calculated by	Responsible person	Document validity period and data collection frequency
						Document name: Questionnaire for enterprises 2017: 9 enterprises (18 establishments):	Does your er	nterprise have e		sustainability ce pr tourism, etc.)?	rtificates (e.g. I	SO 14.001, EMAS,
A.1.1						R. H.	March 2018	ISO 9001, ISO 14001, ECARF, ESPA, Green Energy	Jadranka d.d.	K. G.	S. Š.	l year
Percentage of tourism						К. Р.	March 2018	No	Hostel Veli Lošinj	K. G.	К. Р.	1 year
enterprises/ establishments in the destination						Ð. S.	March 2018	No	Lošinjska plovidba i turizam d.o.o.	K. G.	Ð. S.	1 year
using a voluntary certification/ labelling for environmental /quality/ sustainability and/or	33.33%	33.33%	44.00%	44.40%	100	R. Ž.	March 2018	ISO 14001:2004; Sustainable Thermal, Spa & Welness Hotel Certificate	Lječilište Veli Lošinj	K. G.	R. Ž.	1 year
Corporate Social Responsibility						R. S.	March 2018	Eco hotel	Eko hotel Manora	K. G.	R. S.	1 year
						A. K.	March 2018	Eco labels - own programme	Mare Mare Suites	K. G.	D. K.	1 year
						s. č.	March 2018	No	Pansion Ana Komfor	K. G.	S. Č.	1 year
						М.В.	March 2018	No	Hotel Televrin	K. G.	F. Z.	1 year
						D. V.	March 2018	No	Kamp Poljana	K. G.	<mark>S.</mark> K.	1 year



Destination management

Indicator	Destination performance 2017	Destination performance 2016	Destination performance 2015	Destination performance 2014	IND 2017/ 2016	Data source - full document name and name of the person who submitted data	Data collection period	Subject results	Responsible institution	Data delivered or calculated by	Responsible person	Document validity period and data collection frequency
A.2.1 Percentage of visitors that are satisfied with their overall experience in the destination		93.42%	94.40%	96.29%	94	Results of the survey Attitudes and Expenditures of Tourists - TOMAS Summer 2017, page 27	July, August, September, October 2017	/	Institute for Tourism Zagreb	Institute for Tourism	Z. M.	2 years
A.2.2 Percentage of repeat/return visitors (within 5 years)	70.40%	81.12%	70.79%	no data	87	Results of the survey Attitudes and Expenditures of Tourists - TOMAS Summer 2017, page 21, Table 8	July, August, September, October 2017	/	Institute for Tourism Zagreb	Z. M.	Z. M.	2 years



Destination management

SURVEY ON THE SATISFACTION OF VISITORS WITH THEIR STAY IN LOŠINJ:

- conducted since 2008, namely in summer months (June, July, August)
- created in Survey Monkey
- distributed via tablets available on several locations (Tourist Board Office, camps, hotels, Port Authority...)
- The survey collects all relevant data required to receive feedback from our guests regarding their level of satisfaction with their stay in Lošinj and with the entire destination's tourism offer (including the main reason for visiting, main characteristics of Lošinj, satisfaction with the offer, operation of the Town and the Tourist Board, etc.)

SURVEY ON THE SATISFACTION OF RESIDENTS - TOURISM IN LOŠINJ:

- conducted since 2008, namely in September and October
- created in Survey Monkey
- distributed via links on social networks, the Tourist Board web site, e-mails, advertised on the island's web portal.
- The survey provides feedback from our residents regarding their level of satisfaction with tourism, what are their most frequent recommendations to guests, what information are guests most often asking about, their evaluation of transport connections, cleanliness of beaches and walkways, etc., their evaluation of the Town Administration and Tourist Board's operation and other questions.
- This survey was modified and better structured over time, as each year we found out in what way we can improve it even further. With our participation in ETIS, we also added those questions that were required to calculate the indicators.





• Economic value

B.1 Tourism flow (volume and value) at	B.1.1 Number of tourist nights per month						
destination	B.1.2 Number of same-day visitors per month						
	B.1.3 Relative contribution of tourism to the destination's economy (% GDP)						
	B.1.4 Daily spending per overnight tourist						
	B.1.5 Daily spending per same-day visitors						
B.2 Tourism enterprise(s) performance	B.2.1 Average length of stay of tourists (nights)						
	B.2.2 Occupancy rate in commercial accommodation per month and average for the year						
B.3 Quantity and quality of employment	B.3.1 Direct tourism employment as percentage of total employment in the destination						
	B.3.2 Percentage of jobs in tourism that are seasonal						
B.4 Tourism supply chain	B.4.1 Percentage of locally produced food, drinks, goods and services sourced by the destination's tourism enterprises						





Economic value

Indicator	Destination performance 2017	Destination performance 2016	Destination performance 2015	Destination performance 2014	IND 2017/ 2016	Data source - full document name and name of the person who submitted the data	Data collection period	Subject results	Responsible institution	Data delivered or calculated by	Responsible person	Document validity period and data collection frequency
B.1.1 Number of tourist nights per month	194,532	183,596	180,913	175,348	106	Tourist arrivals and nights spent in 2017 – B.R.	January - December 2017	/	Tourist Board of the Town of Mali Lošinj	B. R.	/	1 year
B.1.4 Daily spending per tourist (accommodation, food and drink, other services)	96.97 EUR	40 EUR	42 EUR	66.36 EUR	242	Results of the survey Attitudes and Expenditures of Tourists - TOMAS Summer 2017, pages 31-32	July, August, September, October 2017	/	Institute for Tourism Zagreb	Institute for Tourism	/	1 year
B.3.1 Direct tourism employment as percentage of total employment	30,10%	32.75%	32.22%	24.70%	92	1603 Employment rate and salaries 2016, pages 72-73, line 10, column I,R,S / State Bureau of Statistics		/	State Bureau of Statistics	K. G.	State Bureau of Statistics	1 year
B.2.2 Occupancy rate in commercial accommodation, average for the year	29%	28.3%	25.9 %	27.3 %	103	Tourist arrivals and nights spent per month in 2017, Capacity in 2017 – B.R.	January - December 2017	1	Tourist Board of the Town of Mali Lošinj	B. R.	/	1 year





• Social and cultural impact

C.1 Community/social impact	C.1.1 Number of tourists/visitors per 100 residents
	C.1.2 Percentage of residents who are satisfied with tourism in the destination (per month/season)
	C.1.3 Number of beds available in commercial accommodation establishments per 100 residents
	C.1.4 Number of second homes per 100 homes
C.2 Health and safety	C.2.1 Percentage of tourists who register a complaint with the police
C.3 Gender equality	C.3.1 Percentage of men and women employed in the tourism sector
	C.3.2 Percentage of tourism enterprises where the general manager position is held by a woman



• Social and cultural impact

C.4 Inclusion / accessibility	C.4.1 / C.4.2 Percentage of rooms in commercial accommodation establishments accessible for people with disabilities / Percentage of commercial accommodation establishments participating in recognised accessibility information schemes
	C.4.3 Percentage of public transport that is accessible to people with disabilities and specific access requirements
	C.4.4 Percentage of tourist attractions that are accessible to people with disabilities and / or participating in recognised accessibility information schemes
C.5 Protecting and enhancing cultural heritage, local identity and assets	C.5.1 Percentage of residents that are satisfied with the impacts of tourism on the destination's identity
	C.5.2 Percentage of the destination's events that are focused on traditional / local culture and heritage





Social and cultural impact

Indicator	Destination performance 2017	Destination performance 2016	Destination performance 2015	Destination performance 2014	IND 2017/2016	Data source - full document name and name of the person who submitted data	Data collection period	Subject results	Responsible institution	Data delivered or calculated by	Responsible person	Document validity period and data collection frequency
C.1.2 Percentage of residents who are satisfied with tourism in the destination (per month/ season)	85.08% (summer)	no data	no data	95.00%	1	Results of the resident satisfaction survey - tourism in Lošinj 2017	September and October 2017	/	Tourist Board of the Town of Mali Lošinj	Α.Τ.	/	2 years
Number of tourist nights (commercial and non- commercial) per 100 residents	23,343.9	21,994. 34	21,709.95	21,401.79	106	Tourist arrivals and nights spent in 2017 – B.R.	January - December 2017	/	Tourist Board of the Town of Mali Lošinj	B. R.	/	l year



Social and cultural impact

Indicator	Destination performance 2017	Destination performance 2016	Destination performance 2015	Destination performance 2014	IND 2017/ 2016	Data source - full document name and name of the person who submitted the data	Data collection period	Subject results	Responsible institution	Data delivered or calculated by		Document validity period and data collection frequency										
						Document name: 1603 Employment rate and salaries 2016, State Bureau of Statistics / Questionnaire for enterprises 2017: 9 enterprises (18 establishments):		How n	nany women and men are Women /	employed in your ente men	erprise?											
C.3.1						R. H.	April 2018.	560 454	Jadranka d.d.	K. G.	S. Š.	1 year										
Percentage of men and women	55.7%	54.50%	56.02%	55.91%	102	К. Р.	April 2018	4; 1	Hostel Veli Lošinj	K. G.	К. Р.	l year										
employed in the tourism sector						Ð. S.	April 2018	37; 29	Lošinjska plovidba i turizam d.o.o.	K. G.	Ð. S.	1 year										
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																1	1					R. S.
						А. К.	April 2018	4; 1	Mare Mare Suites	K. G.	D. K.	1 year										
						S. Č.	April 2018	7; 7	Pansion Ana Komfor	K. G.	S. Č.	1 year										
						М. В.	April 2018	6; 8	Hotel Televrin	K. G.	F. Z.	1 year										
						I. J.	April 2018	51; 56	Kamp Poljana	K. G.	S. K.	l year										





• Environmental impact

D.1 Reducing transport impact	D.1.1 Percentage of tourists and same-day visitors using different modes of transport to arrive at the destination
	D.1.2 Percentage of tourists and same-day visitors using local/soft mobility/public transport services to get around the destination
	D.1.3 Average travel (km) by tourists and same-day visitors from home to the destination
	D.1.4 Average carbon footprint of tourists and same-day visitors travelling from home to the destination
D.2 Climate change	D.2.1 Percentage of tourism enterprises involved in climate change mitigation schemes — such as: CO ² offset, low energy systems, etc.— and 'adaptation' responses and actions
	D.2.2 Percentage of tourism accommodation and attraction infrastructure located in 'vulnerable zones'





• Environmental impact

D.3 Solid waste management	D.3.1 Waste production per tourist night compared to general population waste production per person per day(kg)
	D.3.2 Percentage of tourism enterprises separating different types of waste
	D.3.3 Total waste recycled (percentage or per resident per year)
D.4 Sewage treatment	D.4.1 Percentage of sewage from the destination treated to at least secondary level prior to discharge
D.5 Water management	D.5.1 Water consumption per tourist night compared to general population water consumption per resident night
	D.5.2 Percentage of tourism enterprises taking actions to reduce water consumption
	D.5.3 Percentage of tourism enterprises using recycled water





• Environmental impact

D.6 Energy usage	D.6.1 Energy consumption per tourist night compared to general population energy consumption per resident night
	D.6.2 Percentage of tourism enterprises that take actions to reduce energy consumption
	D.6.3 Percentage of annual amount of energy consumed from renewable sources (Mwh) compared to overall energy consumption at destination level per year
D.7 Landscape and biodiversity protection	D.7.1. Percentage of local enterprises in the tourism sector actively supporting protection, conservation and management of local biodiversity and landscapes





Environmental impact

Indicator	Destination performance 2017	Destination performance 2016	Destination performance 2015	Destination performance 2014	IND 2017/2016	Data source - full document name and name of the person who submitted data	Data collection period	Subject results	Responsible institution	Data delivered or calculated by	Responsible person	Document validity period and data collection frequency		
						Document name: Questionnaire for enterprises 2017 + HEP;		Do you monitor monthly energy consumption?						
D.6.1						9 enterprises (18 establishments):								
Energy consumption						R. H.	March 2018	Yes	Jadranka d.d.	H.C.	S. Š.	1 year		
per tourist night		74.36%	69.38%	118.88%		К. Р.	March 2018	Yes	Hostel Veli Lošinj	Н. С.	К. Р.	1 year		
compared to general	73.56% (tourists)	(tourists)	69.38% (tourists)	(tourists)	99	Ð. S.	March 2018	Yes	Lošinjska plovidba i turizam d.o.o.	Н. С.	Ð. S.	l year		
population energy consumption per	· ,					R. Ž.	March 2018	Yes	Lječilište Veli Lošinj	Н. С.	R. Ž.	1 year		
resident night						R. S.	March 2018	Yes	Eko hotel Manora	Н. С.	R. S.	1 year		
Ű						B. R.	March 2018	Yes	Mare Mare Suites	Н. С.	D. K.	1 year		
						S. Č.	March 2018	Yes	Pansion Ana Komfo	r H.C.	S. Č.	1 year		
						M. B.	March 2018	No	Hotel Televrin	H.C.	F. Z.	1 year		
						D. V.	March 2018	Yes	Kamp Poljana	H. C.	S. K.	1 year		
D.5.1 Water consumption per tourist night compared to general population water consumption per resident night	Tourism: 240 I/tourist/day / Local residents: 120 I/resident/day =	Tourism: 230 I/tourist/day / Local residents: 140 I/resident/day	= ,	l/resident/day = 1.49L	125	Table and memo: Vodovod i odvodnja Cres Lošinj (water supply and sewage)	November 2017	1	Vodovod i odvodnjo Cres Lošinj	а м. ғ.	N. K.	1 year		
D.4.1 Percentage of sewage from the destination treated to at least secondary level prior to discharge	2 L 0%	1.6 L 0.00%	1.6 L 0.00%	0.00%	/	Table and memo: Vodovod i odvodnja Cres Lošinj	November 2017	/	Vodovod i odvodnja Cres Lošinj	M. F.	N. K.	1 year		
	1.51 kg/day (residents); 1.95 kg/day (tourists)		2.32kg/day	1.5kg/day	106	Table and memo: Vodovod i odvodnja i Komunalne usluge (utility services) Cres Lošinj; e - mail	January 2018		Komunalne usluge Cres Lošinj	A. V.	N. K.	1 year		





Environmental impact

- Tourist energy consumption per overnight stay compared to general population energy consumption per day
- The data from the questionnaire for enterprises is used (we had 9 enterprises camps, hotels, guest houses), which is provided by the enterprises in tables specifying their monthly electricity consumption. The other data – resident consumption – is provided by HEP
- Water consumption per tourist overnight stay compared to general population water consumption per day
- ✓ The data are provided by Vodoopskrba i odvodnja Cres Lošinj d.o.o. (water supply and sewage company)
- Waste produced in the destination (tonnes per resident per year or per month)
- ✓ The data are provided by Vodoopskrba i odvodnja Cres Lošinj d.o.o.





Supplementary indicator - education

SCHOOL CLASS	2017./2018.	2016./2017.	2015./2016.	2014./2015.
Preschool	59	74	78	75
Elementary school –First grade	70	82	75	68
Elementary school – Final grade	68	55	60	63
High school – First grade	61	61	73	58
High school – Final grade	68	65	65	78



CROSTO Supplementary Indicator – Public parking & charge

PARKIRALIŠTE	2017.	2016.	2015.	2014.
PRIKO	178	178	/	/
NOVA OBALA	146	146	/	/
BUDOVINA	72	72	/	/
BOČAC - GARAŽA	121	121	/	/
ŠKVERIĆ	36	36	/	/
BOČAC	49	49	/	/
ZAGAZINJINE	88	88	/	/
DR. DINKO KOZULIĆ	25	25	/	/
VELI LOŠINJ - GORE	88	88	/	/
VELI LOŠINJ - DOLE	80	84	/	1
MRTVAŠKA	<u>80</u>	40	/	/
VELI ŽAL	118	0	/	/
ARTATORE	25	0	/	/
KADIN	35	0	/	/
TOTAL	1141	927	486	336



CROSTO Supplementary Indicator – Reserved public parking

No	PARKING PLACE	RESERVED (REGULATED) 2017.	No	PARKING PLACE	RESERVED (REGULATED) 2017.	No	PARKING PLACE	RESERVED (REGULATED) 2016.	No	PARKING PLACE	RESERVED (REGULATED) 2016.
1.	B. MILANOVIĆ	37	13.	NEREZINE	20	1.	B. MILANOVIĆ	37	13.	BOČAC GARAŽA	22
2.	CRESKA	39 (25)	14.	BOČAC GARAŽA	22	2.	CRESKA	37 (25)	14.	PRIKO	39
3.	B. CAPPONIA	8	15.	PRIKO	39	3.	B. CAPPONIA	8	15.	BUDOVINA	34
4.	OSORSKA	31 (7)	16.	BUDOVINA	34	4.	OSORSKA	31 (7)	16.	BOČAC	31
5.	MALIN	7	17.	BOČAC	31	5.	MALIN	7	17.	MRTVAŠKA	(51)
6.	N. TESLE	10	18.	MRTVAŠKA	(73)	6.	N. TESLE	10	18.	ISTARSKA	11
7.	J. KAŠMANA	16	19.	ISTARSKA	11	7.	J. KAŠMANA	16	19.	RUKAVIĆ- HARAČIĆEVA	19 (13)
8.	ŠKVERIĆ (UDICA)	10	20.	RUKAVIĆ- HARAČIĆEVA	19 (13)	8.	ŠKVERIĆ (UDICA)	10	20.	BRAĆE VIDULIĆA	8
9.	V. LOŠINJ (MARKET)	12	21.	BRAĆE VIDULIĆA	8	9.	V. LOŠINJ (MARKET)	12	21.	NOVA OBALA+HOTEL	11 +6
10.	V. LOŠINJ (HOTEL)	55+12	22.	NOVA OBALA+HOTEL	11 +6	10.	V. LOŠINJ (HOTEL)	55+12	22.	ARTATORE	(30)
11.	V.LOŠINJ (ČORBA)	<u>38</u>	23.	ARTATORE	(30)	11.	VRESIKOVO	8	23.	TOTAL 2016.	422 (96)
12.	VRESIKOVO	8	24.	BRAĆE VIDULIĆA	8	12.	NEREZINE	16	24.	TOTAL 2017.	452 (160)



How to start measuring, how to motivate stakeholders in the destination to cooperate, what are the benefits?

- Hold an initial meeting with all relevant stakeholders, inform them about the project and explain what data will be requested from each of them
- Directors of tourist accommodation enterprises must be present at the meeting to provide their support
- When the measuring is completed, present the results to stakeholders
- This is used to monitor the views and attitudes of our guests and residents, and in that way change and complement our offer, track our energy consumption, preserve the environment, as well as monitor social indicators and tourism employment
- Sustainability can be achieved only through measuring and using the data to formulate the Destination Development Strategy
- ETIS Destinations network (EDN) Visit South Sardinia (Italy), Ljubljana (Slovenia), Birmingham (UK), Barcelona (Spain), Irish destination and others
- CROSTO (CROatian Sustainable Tourism Observatory)- included in 2018 (14 indicators) Dubrovnik, Ston, Hvar, Novalja, Mali Lošinj and Rovinj
- Master Plan for the development of tourism of the Town of Mali Lošinj ETIS data used as a basis for planning
- Cycling Tourism Master Plan



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Project co-financed by the European Regional Development Fund

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	Mali Lošinj		Elba and Tuscan Islands		Costa Degli Etruschi		Riviera Apuana		Lloret de Mar	
Indicators	Value	Alert	Value	Alert	Value	Alert	Value	Alert	Value	Alert
01 Percentage of the area of the destinatio 9	N/A	I©1	100.00	101	100.00	101	100.00	101	100.00	101
02 Visitors satisfaction with their overall 1	87.90	101	0.00	101	0.00	101	N/A		N/A	IOI
03 Percentage of tourism enterprises in the 1	33.33	101	N/A	I©I	43.00 🛦	101	N/A	 ○	N/A	●
04 a) Relative contribution of tourism to the 0	36.28	101	N/A	I©I	N/A	I O I	N/A	 ○	N/A	●
04 b) Proportion of tourism organisations (com	N/A	©	N/A	●	8.00 🛦	101	N/A	●	N/A	
04 c) Proportion of active population working 8	30,10 🖺	101	N/A	I©1	4.80 🛦	101	N/A	I©I	N/A	€
05 Average length of stay of tourists (nigh 0	7.60	101	6.20 🛦	101	6.50 🛦	•	4.40	0	5.60 🛕	
06 Number of overnight stays per month 0	N/A	I©1	6.20 🛦	101	6.50 🛦		4.40 🛕	101	N/A	 ◎
07 Occupancy rate in commercial accommodati 0	29.00	101	21.00 🛦	101	16.00 🛦		10.80		62.31 🛦	0
08 Direct tourism employment as percentage 9	33.10	101	N/A	I©I	16.00 🛕	101	N/A		N/A	101

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Home / Methodological data

Methodological data: Average length of stay of tourists (nights)

Indicator ID

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Indicator name Average length of stay of tourists (nights)

Group Economic

Calculation Arithmetic mean (length of stay per tourist – nights)

Collection of the data

Length of stay in commercial accommodation at municipal level, and divided by type of accommodation. Also the total number of tourists of the destination.

Collection method

Official statistics about accommodation length of stay.

If the data is not collected officially which are the other options:

Through direct surveys to tourists staying at your municipality, and as a proxy direct surveys to tourists asking for information at the tourism offices.
Through direct surveys to the registered accommodation suppliers.

Data format

Addition of all lengths of stay collected in number of overnights, divided by the number of total stays. Collected in a monthly and annual basis.

Output format

Result interpretation

The results might be interpreted the following way.

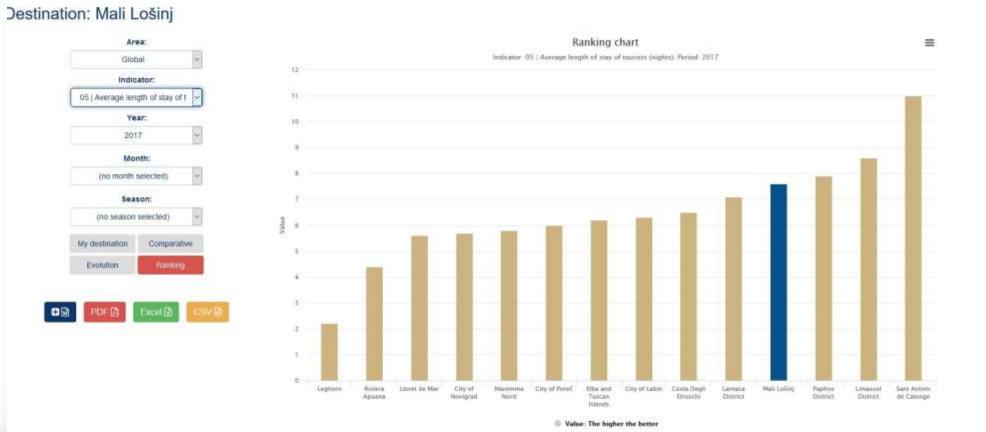
1. Compared with other destinations. This comparison can be with all destinations average number or with the average of a set of selected destinations.

1. Green: 11,00% or more over average

- 2. Yellow: up to 10,99% over or under the average
- 3. Red*: 11,00% or more below average

* In this situation the total number of same-day visitors (and their daily expense, if possible) can be related if the destination does not have accommodation or very limited.

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Award of the European Commission for Sustainable Development

- Bruxelles, 22 April 2016, Mali Lošinj won the ETIS prize for sustainability and accessible tourism management, specifically for the width and depth of the data collected on the practices of sustainable tourism on the island
- Ljubljana, Global Green Destinations Day, 27 September 2016, Sustainable Destinations TOP 100 an award for responsible and sustainable development of tourism
- Cascais (Portugal), Global Green Destinations Day, 28 September 2017, Sustainable Destinations TOP 100 an award for responsible and sustainable development of tourism
- Berlin, ITB Berlin, 7 March 2018, Best of the Mediterranean 2nd place





Town of Mali Lošinj Tourist Board of the Town of Mali Lošinj

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Thank you!

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